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Autumn Planting of

## Hardy Lilies

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## Peony Festiva Maxima

The "Queen" of Fragrant Peonies—

Planted in Fall Season will Bloom Luxuriantly Next Year.

## Hardy as an Oak

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AND PRICES
OF THE ABOVE
AND OTHER
VARIETIES

- SINGLE TIGER LILY (L. TIGRINUM SPLENDENS)—Illustration by Courtesy of Suburban Life

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### "The Lily Beautiful" · X

CONTRARY TO THE GENERAL IMPRESSION the best time to prepare a Lily bed is in the Autumn season. They will succeed in any good garden loam provided it is well drained, but a sandy soil is more desirable. The land should be prepared by deep spading but no manure should be mixed therewith. A mulching of same can be used to good advantage so that the rains will carry the fertilizing portions into the soil. Bulbs should be set from six to eight inches deep according to size, and planted on their side to guard against excessive moisture getting into the scales. When severe weather sets in a mulching of manure, leaf mold or similar material should be placed to the extent of about six inches and removed in the spring when danger from frost has passed. Lilies succeed best in a partially shaded situation, although they can also be planted in a sunny position providing the soil is kept cool during the growing season. Particularly recommended for planting among shrubbery, etc. The varieties mentioned in this list are all perfectly hardy and will perpetuate themselves for many years.

NOTE—Occasionally some of the Japan lilies do not arrive until after the ground is frozen; this, however, can be easily overcome by covering the ground where the bulbs are to be planted with some loose leaves or manure, and this slight trouble will be fully repaid when the flowering season comes around.

### LILIUM CANDIDUM.

### Madonna, or Annunciation Lily.

The flowers, of which there are three to twenty on each stem, are snow white, with heavy yellow stamens and of the most delightful fragrance. Will thrive in any ordinary garden soil. Blooms in the open ground about June 20. Early planting of this variety is desirable.

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### Large-Flowering German Pips.

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Plant in a shady, moist position. Very hardy. Each, 30c; doz., \$3.00.

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### EASTER LILY.

(Lilium Harrisii.)

Mammoth white
Trumpet Lily, with
flowers 4 to 5 inches
long, is the best of
all Lilies for winter
forcing and flowering, because its
grand trumpetshaped flowers,
which give forth a
delicious perfume,
are wonderfully
beautiful and expresbeautiful and expres-

sive.

First Size Bulbs,
which should produce from 5 to 8
flowers, 10c each; 25c
for 3; 85c per doz.;
\$6.00 per 100; \$13.75
for 250.

Extra Size Bulbs,
which should produce
from 8 to 15 flowers,
25c each; 60c for 3;
\$2.00 per doz.; \$3.75
for 25; \$14.00 per
100; \$30.00 for 250.

TIGRINUM

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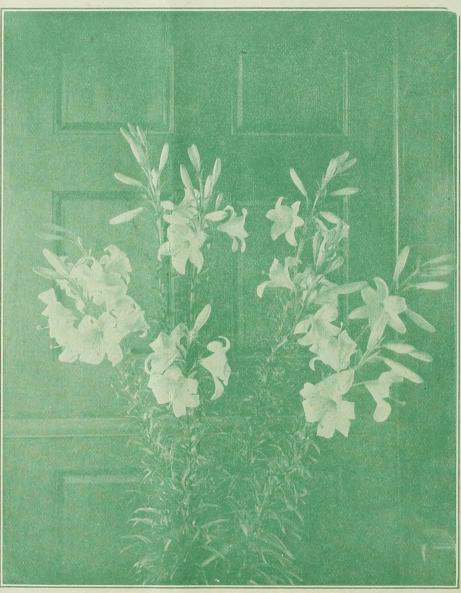
### SPLENDENS.

SPLENDENS.
(Improved Tiger
Lily.)
See Illustration on
Front Cover.
The grandest of the
Tigers black polished
stem, sometimes 6
feet high. Very large
pyramids of flowers,
orange-red, spotted
with black, 3 to 5
feet. Blooms in August. 10c each, \$1.10
doz., \$7.00 per 100.
TIGRINUM FLORA

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### PLENA.

(Double Tiger Lily.)
This is a plant of stately habit, growing from 4 to 6 feet high, bearing an immense number of double bright orangered flowers spotted with black. Blooms in August. 10c each, \$1.15 doz., \$7.50 per 100.



ANNUNCIATION LILY (L. CANDIDUM).
The Best Pure White Lily for Out of Doors.
Illustration by Courtesy of Suburban Life.

### JAPANESE EASTER

## LILY. (Lilium Longiflorum Multiflorum.)

For indoor pot cul-

First Size Bulbs, which should produce from 4 to 6 flowers, 8c each; 20c for 3; 60c per doz.; \$4.75 per 100; \$10.00 for 250.

Extra Size Bulbs, which should produce from 6 to 10 flowers, 15c each; 40c for 3; \$1.00 per doz.; \$2.00 for 25; \$7.00 per 100; \$15.00 for 250.

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for 25; \$7.00 per 100; \$15.00 for 250. Mammoth Bulbs, which should produce up to 15 flowers on a stalk, 20c each; 55c for 3; \$2.00 per doz.; \$3.75 for 25.

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SUPERBUM.

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CTurk's Cap Lily.)
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### "The Lily Beautiful" - Continued

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8 to 9-

inch .\$0.15 \$0.40 \$1.00 \$5.50 9 to 11-

inch . . .25 .70 1.75 9.50 Mammoth .35 .90 2.50 17.00

### L. SPECIOSUM MELPOMENE.

A most beautiful variety. Flowers frosted white, spotted, clouded and bearded with pinkish crimson. Petals deeply recurved and widely bor-

Bulbs. Each. 3 For Doz. 100 8 to 9-

inch .. \$0.20 \$0.50 \$1.50 \$8.00 9 to 11-

inch .. .35 .90 1.85 12.00



LARGE FLOWERING VALLEY. LILY OF

### L. SPECIOSUM ALBUM.

Pure white, with beautiful recurved petals; very fragrant. This with Rubrum and Melpomene, belongs to the "Speciosum section."

Bulbs. Each. 3 For. Doz. 100 8 to 9-

inch .. \$0.15 \$0.40 \$1.50 \$9.00 9 to 11-

inch .. .25 .60 2.25 12.00

### L. SPECIOSUM RUBRUM.

### (Crimson Banded.)

Flowers are white, with a deep rosy or crimson band on each petal, with deeper colored spots between. They are 5 to 6 inches in diameter, very fragrant, and have all the hardiness of the Speciosum

Bulbs. Each. 3 For. Doz. 100

8 to 9inch ..\$0.15 \$0.40 \$1.50 \$8.00
9 to 11inch .. 25 .60 2.25 12.00 

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IUM AURATUM, THE "QUEEN" OF LILI Illustration by Courtesy of Suburban Life.

### L. ELEGANS.

### LEONARD JOERG.

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### WHITE CORFULILY

(Funkia.)

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Clumps, each doz., \$2.50.

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### **OUR SPRING CATALOGUE FOR 1910**

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## Flowering Bulbs-For Fall Planting

To obtain winter and spring flowers in the house and beautiful garden and lawn effects during the spring season it is necessary to plant the bulbs in the fall. There are two classes, namely, what is known as "Cape" and "Dutch" bulbs. The "Cape" varieties are not hardy but must be protected during the winter. Pot them and place them out-of-doors, watering them frequently

as the soil's needs demand, and, upon the approach of frosty nights, store them in a cool, light place. The best place for them is in a coldframe or deep pit, but a light, cool room will serve the purpose very well indeed. Here the temperature will never rise very high, thus permitting the plants to make a good strong root-growth, without much leaf growth.

Freesias and oxalis, planted in August, can be brought into bloom at Christmas time very readily. They must be brought in from the coldframe or pit late in October or early in November, and grown in a house with a temperature of about 50 or 55 degrees at night.

The soil for all bulbs should be rich and well drained. A soil composed of equal parts of well-rotted sod, sharp sand, leaf mould, and well-decayed manure, preferably horse manure, is desirable.

Dutch bulbs are hardy, and it is not so necessary to guard them against the cold. As a matter of convenience, however, it is better to store them where they can be gotten at easily at any time during the winter. For this reason a

deep cold frame, which can be kept dark, will be found an ideal place, but if you have a cool cellar in which the air is not too dry, equally good results can be had. Cover the pots with a few inches of soil, and water if the earth shows any signs of drying out.

From the pit or cellar the bulbs can be brought to the house or greenhouse when wanted for flowering. During the early part of winter, say in

December, it will take at least four weeks, and maybe as many as six, to bring the Dutch bulbs into flower. As the winter advances, the time for forcing will seldom run over four weeks, and perhaps a few days less.

The making of the bulb beds out-ofdoors is not at all intricate. The bed should be dug out about four inches deep. and the soil which is taken out laid to one side. Then the bed should be spaded to a depth of six or eight inches, turning under some very well decayed manure, which should be put under deep enough so that it will not come in contact with the bulbs. After having smoothed the soil, spread about one-quarter to one half inch of sand over the bed, and in this mark out the design desired, or indicate where you wish to have the rows of plants. The sand is put in as a sort of prevention against the rotting of the bulbs.

When the bulbs have been planted outof-doors, they will need no further attention until the ground freezes. Then give the bulb bed a light mulch of strawy manure, say four or five inches.

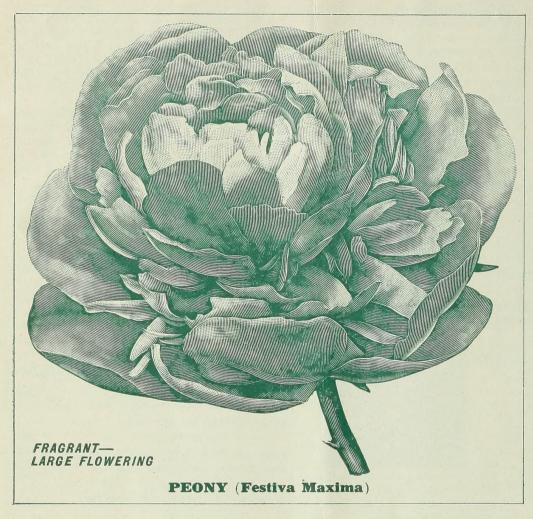


Dutch Hyacinth Growing in Water. Illustration by courtesy of Suburban Life.

### A Planting Table for Bulbs-From Suburban Life.

How deep How fa		How far	Time of	Bloom	
Name of Bulb	to plant (Inches)	apart (Inches)	Outdoors	Indoors	Cultural Information
Anemone	1/2	1 1/2		March	Cape. Curious dried-up looking bulbs that produce large, gorgeous-colored flowers.
Astilbe Japonica.	1/2	1 in 6-in.	May, June	Feb. to April	Dutch. Produces large feathery spikes. After forcing plant in the garden.
Calla	1 ½	1 in 7-in.		Christmas	Commences growth immediately after potting. Give rich soil and liquid fertilizer.
Crocus	in pots ½ outdoors 2	1½ scatter	March .	Dec. to April	Dutch. Grow in 6-inch pans. Keeps in good condition for a week.
Freesia	1	1		Dec. to April	Cape. The sweetest-scented bulbous plant. After flowering ripen off the bulbs.
Gladiolus	1	2		Easter	Commence forcing about Christmas. Grow in deep boxes, needs temperature of 50 degrees.
Hyacinth	in pots ½ outdoors 5	1½ 6 to 8	April	January	Dutch. Start forcing December 20 in cool house, raise temperature gradually to 55 degrees.
Hyacinth, Grape	1 to 3	in pots 1 3 to 4	April	January	Dutch. Easily forced. Has small spikes covered with
Hyacinth, Roman.	in pots ½ outdoors 4			Christmas	Dutch. Easy to force, three weeks enough. Spikes often need staking.
Iris	3	3 ½	May, June	January	Dutch. Commence forcing early in December. Eight weeks necessary
Ixia	1	1		March	Cape. Eighteen inches tall with many star-like flowers. Buy new bulbs each fall.
Lily, Easter	in pots 1	1 in 6-in.		Christmas	Dutch. Require 16 to 20 weeks to force. Must be kept free from aphides.
Lily-of-the-Valley	in pots ½ outdoors 3	1/2 4	May	January	Plant in sand and give strong bottom heat, temperature of 90 degrees and much humidity.
Narcissus	in pots ½ outdoors 4	1 4 to 6	April May	January	Dutch. Grow in 6-inch pots. Needs four weeks to flower.
Oxalis	1	1		Christmas	Cape. Grow in hanging-baskets as well as in pots. Bulbs increase rapidly.
Ranunculus	1	2		March	Cape. The turban and Persian ranunculus will please,
Seilla	3	4	March	January	Dutch. Scatter over lawn and plant where they fall.
Snowdrop	3	4	March	January	Outch. Scatter over lawn and in border near house foundation for early flowers.
Tulip	in pots ½ outdoors 3	1 5	April May	January	Dutch. Force Duc van Thol for early. Doubles will not force until late in season.

## Winterson's Hardy Sweet Scented Peonies



THE OLD FASHIONED "PINEYS" of our grandmother's time have during the past few years been improved upon to such an extent that grandmother would hardly now recognize the wonderfully large and fragrant blossoms produced today as being of the same stock which she cherished as the head of her garden family.

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PEONIES, as they are called today, have no competitor as a hardy plant either for decorative effect in the lawn or shrubbery border or as a cut flower. Their freedom from insect life, absolute hardiness and free blooming qualities is the reason that every flower lover should plant at least a few of them. To obtain best results plant Peonies in Autumn. Our list below contains the "cream" of up-to-date improved varieties.

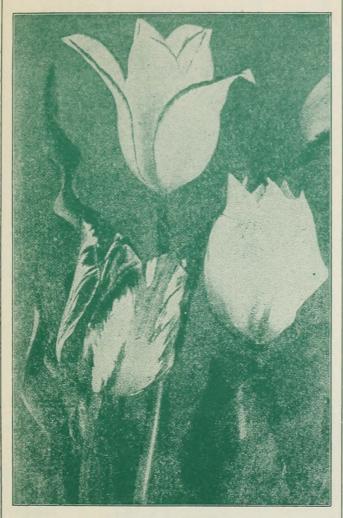
### **Choicest Improved Named Varieties**

NOTE—The sizes given are: "Divided"—Strong divided plants of 2 to 4 eyes; "Medium"—Plants of 3 to 5 stalks, two years since divided; "Large"—Plants of 6 or more stalks, three years since divided. Special prices quoted for quantities.

Pink Peonies	
DELICATISSIMA. "Divided" "Medium"  Large fine flesh pink	"Large" <b>\$1.50</b>
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M. JULES ELIE. "Divided" "Medium" Immense silvery pink\$1.00 \$2.00	"Large"
TRIOMPHE DE L'EXPO. DELILLE.  "Divided" "Medium"  Light rose pink or peach color with mottled petals\$0.75	"Large"
Red Peonies	
DELACHEI.  "Divided" "Medium"  Deep amaranth, solid color\$0.25 \$1.00	"Large" <b>\$1.50</b>
FELIX CROUSSE.  "Divided" "Medium"  Bright red, very large—the choicest red	"Large"
OFFICINALIS—RUBRA FLORA PLENA. "Divided" "Medium"	
The earliest red blooming variety	Large

White Peoni		101
FESTIVA MAXIMA		
The "Queen" of All Per "Divided"	"Medium"	"Large"
Pure paper white with a few carmine flakes		\$1.50 to \$2.00
GOLDEN HARVEST		
	D'Arc. "Medium"	"Large"
Blush guard, collar clear yellow, center white with car-		
mine tips\$0.50	\$0.75	\$1.25
MADAME CROUSSE "Divided"	"'Medium'	"Large"
Pure white, sometimes slight crimson marking in center. \$0.50	\$1.25	\$2.25
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Delicate ivory white. The very latest blooming white\$0.75	\$1.50	\$2.50
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PEONIES-Under Col	or.	
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### SINGLE TULIPS

## Winterson's Early Flowering Single Tulips

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### Single Tulips in Separate Colors

These are composed from varieties of same height and which bloom at the same period—especially recommended to purchasers who do not desire to go to the expense of purchasing named varieties.

N. B. We do not recommend double varieties in this connection.

IICCTON.	Each.	Doz.	100	1,000
White Shades	\$0.03	\$0.25	\$1.25	\$10.00
Yellow Shades	.03	.25	1.25	10.00
Red Shades	.03	.25	1.25	10.00
Pink Shades	.03	.25	1.25	10.00
Variegated Shades	.03	.25	1.25	10.00
Violet and Purple	.03	.25	1.25	10.00

### The Grand Bedding Tulip, KEIZERSKROON.

The Grand Bedding Tulip, KEIZERSKROON.

A bed of this most beautiful of Tulips when in bloom is certainly a dazzling sight. The combination of colors, Brilliant Red and Clear Golden Yellow, cannot be surpassed by any other variety. The flowers are of extra large size with very strong stems which protect them against rain and wind storms; furthermore on account of their general strong character they make a perfect showing for a longer time than any other variety. We have received from a specialist in Holland an exceptionally fine stock of this Tulip and offer them at the low prices as below.

Note—Keizerskroon is also a most desirable sort for forcing and house culture.

And house culture.

Price regular first size bulbs, each 4c; doz 30c; per 100 \$1.80; per 1,000 \$16.00.

Price "Mother" Bulbs, extra fine, each 5c; doz. 40c; per 100 \$2.75; per 1,000 \$25.00.

### Single Named Early Tulips

The letters A and B and figures indicate the proportional earliness of the varieties if planted outdoors. A and B may be used together for bedding purposes, but those marked C are later. The numbers preceding names show the height of growth in inches. Those marked F after the name are the best for forcing in the house or greenhouse.

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	Single Varieties.	Each.	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1,000
B 7	Artus. Brilliant red. F	\$0.04	\$0.30	\$1.40	\$12.50
	Artus Dimant 1eu. P	0.4	.40	2.50	22.00
B 7	Belle Alliance. Scarlet; very fine. F	U4			27.50
B 7	Belle Alliance. Scarlet "Mother" Bulbs	.05	.50	3.00	
B 9	Chrysolora. Large golden yellow; best yellow for outdoors. F		.20	1.10	8.25
B 6	Cottage Maid. White, edged with rose; extra fine, lovely; splendid	0.00	0"	1.30	11.00
	for bedding. F	.03	.25		
B 9	Duchesse de Parma. Brownish red, yellow stripe; splendid bedder. F	03	.25	1.30	12.00
B 8	Ophir D'Or. Pure yellow "Mother" Bulbs.	.04	.30	1.40	12.50
			.30	1.80	16.00
B 10	Keizerskroon. Red and gold; large and fine. A grand Tulip. F				10.00
B 8	La Reine (Queen Victoria). Rosy white, One of the best. F	.03	25	1.25	
B 9	L'Immaculee. Pure white; fine. F		.20	1.00	8.00
A 7			.30	1.80	16.00
	Due Van Thol. Scarlet. For early blooming		.25	1.25	11.50
A 8	Pottebakker. Pure white. Best white. F				
A 8	Pottebakker. Pure white "Mother" Bulbs	.04	.30	1.80	16.00
A 7	Couleur Cardinal. Crimson Scarlet, very brilliant		.40	2.75	25.00
			.25	1.25	9,50
B 8	Rosa Mundi. Rose and white				13.50
B 6	Rose Gris-de-lin. Beautiful pink. A splendid sort.	.04	.30	1.65	
B 8	Van Vondel. Large; cherry-red and white; splendid, F		.35	1.75	14.50
B 8	Yellow Prince. Golden yellow, sweet scented. Not good for outdoors. F		.25	1.30	9.50
D 0.	renow i rince. Golden yellow, Sweet Scented. Not good for outdoors. I	00	1200	2.00	

### **Double Named Early Tulips**

Very desirable for bedding purposes. White, red and yellow sorts, of about the same height, planted in lines of three or four rows of each color, form, with their large rose-like flowers, beds of surpassing grandeur. Those sorts marked with an asterisk (\*) are the earlier kinds, which are not only valuable for bedders, but succeed admirably if forced in pots. Those not so marked are not recommended for pot culture. A's flower together, B's follow, etc.

	,,	Double Varieties.	Each.	Per doz.	Per 100 .	Per 1,000
В	8*	Duke of York, Purple yellow edge	. \$0.03	\$0.25	\$1.20	\$9.50
A	8*	Imperator Rubrorum. Brilliant scarlet; fine for forcing and one of the	e			
		grandest for bedding	05	.40	2.90	28.00
B	6*.	La Candeur. Pure white, used with Rex Rubrorum to form bedding				Carrier and
		designs; it makes a fine effect	04	.30	1.65	13.00
B	6	Murillo. Light pink; very early; splendid for bedding and forcing	04	.35	2.15	19.00
B	7	Rex Rubrorum. Bright scarlet	04	.35	2.00	17.50
B	5	Rose Blanche. Pure white, very fine		.25	1.20	9.50
A	7*	Tournesol. Red and yellow		.35	2.00	17.00
A	7*	Tournesol. Pure yellow, finest double yellow	04	.35	2.25	21.00
A	10	Crown of Gold. Coppery gold.		.40	2.50	22.00
A	8	Gloria Solis. Brown and gold		.30	1.65	13.50
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BLUSH) AND BOUTON D'OR. SEE PAGE 8 FOR DESCRIPTION AND PRICES.

## Winterson's Single, Late or May Flowering Tulips

Scarlet Gesneriana. This is a tall growing, late blooming Tulip, and undoubtedly one of the finest in cultivation. The flowers are as large as coffee cups and borne on stout stems nearly 18 inches from the ground. The color is brilliant, crimson scarlet, with a large peacockblue blotch in the center, and of very strong fragrance. No Tulip that has come under our observation is at once so brilliant and lasting. They remain in bloom from three to four weeks, and are admirable when planted in groups among evergreens and shrubbery where they show up to splendid advantage against the dark background. 3 cents each; 25 cents per dozen; \$1.25 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.

Bizarres. Yellow ground, feathered crimson, purple or white. 3 cents each; 25 cents per dozen; \$1.15 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.

Bybloems, Violets. Tall and brilliantly variegated:

\$9.00 per 1,000.

Bybloems, Violets. Tall and brilliantly variegated; white ground, flaked lilac purple or black. 3 cents each; 25 cents per dozen; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.

Bybloems, Roses. White ground, shaded rose; tall, very showy; bloom in May. Fine mixture. 3 cents each; 25 cents per dozen; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.

Bouton d'Or. The finest and deepest golden yellow Tulip. Splendid for cutting. Flowers are a handsome globe shape. 3 cents each; 25 cents per dozen; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.

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PICOTEEOR.

Maiden's Blush. A long-shaped flower; pure white; with beautifully recurved petals margined rose; borne on long graceful stems. 3 cents each; 25 cents per dozen; \$1.30 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.

Macrospila. A glowing crimson-scarlet, with deep zone of black and yellow; very fragrant; splendid for

cutting. 3 cents each; 25 cents per dozen; \$1.15 per 100; \$8.50 per 1,000.

Parisian White. Large pure white flower; fine stem. 4 cents each; 30 cents per dozen; \$1.80 per 100; \$16.00 per 1,000.

4 cents each; 30 cents per dozen; \$1.80 per 100; \$16.00 per 1,000.

Sweet Nancy. Pure white, margined and penciled on the edges with pink. 3 cents each; 25 cents per dozen; \$1.30 per 100; \$11.00 per 1,000.

Parrot Tulips. These gay flowers of great size and beautiful variegation flower about thirty days later than the earlier kinds. The fringed and corrugated petals with their wonderful color variation make not only the most brilliant possible flower bed but admirable cut flowers for vases. The thick petaled flowers with long stems keep well after being cut. Extra fine mixed, each, 3 cents; per dozen 25 cents; per 100 \$1.00; per 1,000 \$8.50.

Darwin Tulips. The finest class of late flowering Tulips in existence. Flowers are brilliant, self colored, borne on strong stems, many of them 2 feet high. The colors surpass in brilliancy anything hitherto known in Tulips. and are of almost every conceivable color, from pale blush to the brightest red, lilac, light blue, and purple to almost black. 3 cents each; 25 cents per dozen; \$1.30 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.

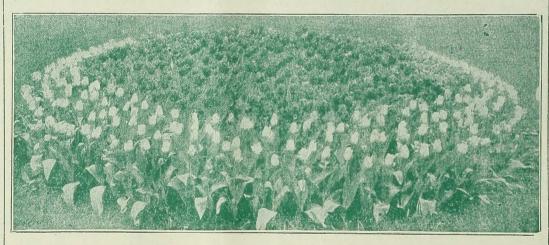
Winterson's May-Flowering Tulip Mixture. This mixture contains many of the above named sorts and other new and rare varieties. We mix it ourselves and know just what it contains. The result from a planting of 100 bulbs will be dazzling and we strongly advise our customers to order at least this many bulbs. Each 4c; 35 cents per dozen; 60 cents for 25; \$1.75 per 100; \$4.00 for 250; \$15.00 per 1.000.

### May Flowering Tulips

Are Especially Desirable for

CUT FLOWERS

Plant in the Shrubbery Border, Etc.



A BED OF EARLY TULIPS

3 CHOICEST

May Blooming Tulips Scarlet Gesneriana PICOTEE

> Maiden's Blush

and Bouton D'Or

### Winterson's Grand Early Blooming Tulip Mixtures

Our Tulip mixtures contain a great variety of colors and will produce excellent flowers. They are not, of course, as desirable for bedding, where uniformity is desired, as the named or separate colors, however, they give very fine results in this connection, and for cut flowers they are sure to give much pleasure. Desirable for planting in shrubbery borders, etc. We import only first size bulbs.

SINGLE.
Special Mixture. Made up of named sorts, proper proportions of bright colors, blooming together and of uni-

form height. Dozen 20 cents; 100 for \$1.00; 1,000 for

\$8.50.

Fine Mixed. Per dozen 15 cents; per 100 75 cents; per 1,000 \$7.50.

1,000 \$7.50.

Superfine Mixed. This mixture comprises only the best bedding sorts in equal proportion and contains a splendid variety of showy colors. Per dozen 20 cents; 100 for \$1.10; per 1,000 \$10.00.

Fine Mixed. An excellent mixture for outdoor planting. Dozen 15 cents; per 100 \$1.00; 1,000 for \$8.50.

### Winterson's Extra Quality Tulip Collections

Winterson's Collections of Single Early Tulips for SIMPLE ROUND BED.

Five and a half feet across or 17½ feet in circumference, requires 225 bulbs planted 4 inches apart. 5 inside rows 

Prices include delivery to any part of the city or

Foreground 200 Yellow Tulips
COMBINATION NO. 6—Price \$4.10.

Triangle of 3 rows in each side. ... 125 Yellow Tulips
Center of triangle. 50 Scarlet Tulips
Foreground ... 200 White Tulips

## Winterson's Large Flowering Dutch Hyacinths

The Hyacinths are deservedly the most popular bulbs grown. They are extremely fragrant and can be obtained in many lovely shades. It is the ideal flower for indoor culture, in the fall and winter, as well as being most satisfactory for bedding and general outdoor culture. Our bulbs are especially selected and can be depended upon to produce excellent results.

### Winterson's Collections of Hyacinths for Beds

A "RIBBON" BED OF 98 FINEST, FIRST-SIZE. NAMED HYACINTHS FOR \$7.00 "RIBBON" HYACINTH BED No. 1.

This collection is designed to be planted in an oblong bed 7 feet long by 3½ feet wide, requiring ninety-eight Hyacinths—seven rows, containing fourteen bulbs each, planted 6 inches apart.

Center row—14 Roi des Belges (dark red).

One row each side of the blue—28 Gertrude (light pink).

One row each side of center—28 King of the Blues

The two outside rows—28 L'Innocence (pure white).

This collection contains 98 Unnamed Hyacinths, to be planted in the same manner as above, your selection of colors, for \$3.00 (by express).

## Winterson's "Special Grade"

### Forcing and **Bedding** Dutch Hyacinths

The bulbs under this heading are of a much larger size than those put in ordinary mixtures; in fact, most of these average as large as those often sent out as "First Size Named" by some dealers. They will produce grand spikes of blooms.

## rices for Winterson's Bedding and Forc-ing Hyacinths.

Single. Each. Doz. 100 Scarlet ... \$0.05 \$0.50 \$3.50 Rose ... 05 .50 3.50 Blue ... .05 .50 3.50 Lavender .05 .50 3.50 Blush White :\$0.05 \$0.50 \$3.50 Pure White .. .05 .50 3.50 Special Mixed .. .05 .59 3.50



Single Large Flowering Dutch Hyacinths.

## Winterson's "Mixed Grade"

## Dutch Hyacinths For Indoor Culture and **Bedding**

These Hyacinths are all large-sized healthy bulbs, well adapted for outdoor planting. The colors being kept separate, the purchaser can make his selection of colors as his taste may dictate. The bulbs can also be forced for winter flowering or cutting. Single Mixed Varieties. Pure white, blush white, rose, red, light blue, dark blue, yellow, mixed, all colors. Each 4 cents; dozen 40 cents; 100 for \$3.00.

Double Mixed Varieties. Pure white, blush white, rose, red, light blue, dark blue, yellow, mixed all colors. Each white, rose, red, light blue, dark blue, yellow, mixed all colors. Each 5 cents; dozen 40 cents; 100 for \$3.00.

### Selected Named Dutch Hyacinths—Guaranteed Strictly First Size

Where distinct colors are desired there is nothing more elegant in Hyacinths than the best named varieties. We mention below a selection that cannot be surpassed. As a general rule the single flowering varieties will be found surer bloomers and more effective in display than the double sorts. Specially suited for growing in pots or glasses or for high class bedding, at a uniform price of 10 cents each; per dozen \$1.00; per 100 \$5.00.

Cardinal Weisman. Fine rose.

Gertrude. Rosy pink, large, erect spike.

SINGLE PURE AND CREAMY WHITE HYACINTHS.

Baroness von Thuyll. Snow white, large compact truss of many bells.

Grandeur a Merville. Finest blush white.

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SINGLE LIGHT AND DARK BLUE HYACINTHS.

Blondin. Beautiful silvery blue, compact.

Grand Maitre. Grand large spike, pure ultra-marine blue, shaded porcelain, strong grower.

SINGLE YELLOW.

blue, shaded porcelain, strong grower.

King of the Yellows. Pure yellow.
DOUBLE RED AND ROSE HYACIN'THS.
Bouquet Tendre. Dark red.
DOUBLE WHITE HYACIN'THS.
La Virginite. Rosy center.

Blocksberg. Bright blue.

GRAPE HYACIN'THS.
GRAPE HYACIN'THS.
White, per dozen.

\$0.25; per 100, \$1.00
Blue, per dozen.

\$0.25; per 100, \$1.00
FEATHERED HYACIN'THS.
Per dozen.

\$0.25 Per 100
\$1.00



DUTCH HYACINTH Growing in Water. Illustration by Courtesy of Suburban

## Winterson's Selected Hyacinths

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### **Dutch Roman or Miniature Hyacinths**

Also Called "PAN" HYACINTHS.

A very simple method of growing Hyacinths for winter flowering in the house is to start them in earthen pans, planting only one kind of Hyacinth in one pan, in order to have them all bloom at once, and to have them all the same shade. The varieties mentioned below are the best sorts for this mode of culture. By planting 10 or 12 of these "Pan Hyacinths" in a pan 8 to 9 inches in diameter the most satisfactory results will be obtained. They come into flower after the French Roman Hyacinths and are extremely fragrant.

These (so-called) Miniature Hyacinths can also be planted in the open ground with good results. While they do not as a rule produce as large flowers as those Hyacinths classed on page 6, they are, however, of sufficient size to make a good showing either for bedding or to grow for cutflowers.

VARIETIES AND PRICES

Gertrude. Fine pink.

Gigantea. Pale pink.

Baroness Von Thuyll. Snow white.

L'Innocence. Pure white, large spike.

Grand Maitre. Bright blue.

### Czar Peter. Porcelain blue, extra fine. Price of any of above named varieties, each 4c; per doz. 40c; or \$2.50 per 100.

### French Roman Hyacinths

are not hardy in the North. They are, however, superb for house culture. Sev-eral plantings can be made throughout the season, thus insuring a continuation of bloom.



FOR GROWING HYACINTHS IN

WATER

Belgian Tall, each 15c; doz. \$1.65.

Tye Shape, each; per doz., \$2.50.

## French Roman or Christmas

## Hyacinths

Make splendid plants for the window garden, grown in whatever device may be desirable. They should be treated in all respects like the other classes, only that they come into flower much earlier, and should, for first flowers, be brought in by the 15th of November; by so doing, they will give their flowers in perfection by Christmas.

The great beauty of this class of Hyacinths is their profusion of flowers, each bulb giving from three to six spikes, according to the size and strength of bulb. The flowers are smaller than those of the Dutch Hyacinths, but more graceful. The bulbs being small, three can be put in a 5-inch pot. Mailed postpaid by express.

Each. Doz. 100

	Doz.	100
Pure White Roman. Extra large bulbs\$0.05	\$0.50	\$3.50
Mammoth Bulbs	.60	4.50
Single Light Rose	.45	
Single Blue Roman	.45	3.00
Single Yellow	1.00	7.00
White Italian, later than the French	.45	3.00
Single Dark Rose	.45	3.00

### **Clumps of Peony Festiva Maxima**

PLANTED THIS FALL WILL BLOOM FREELY NEXT SUMMER. See page 6 for particulars.

## Growing Hyacinths in Water

A very novel manner of cultivating Hyacinths is to grow them in water. (See cut above.) We offer glasses especially made for this purpose as per illustrations opposite. The method of culture is as follows: Fill glass with ordinary water so that the bottom or root part of bulb is covered, then place in a cool dark room or closet, leaving there until roots touch the bottom of glass. Afterward take to the light, when a light paper cone should be placed over the top for about two weeks in order to draw up the spike. It is usually necessary to replenish water weekly and a few small pieces of charcoal placed in the glass will tend to keep water sweetened.

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NOTE.—The selected named Hyacinths are most suitable for growing in the above named manner.





### **Chinese Sacred Lily**

(Soy Sin Far, Joss Flower, or Flower of the Gods.)

This is the "Narcissus Orientalis," and the variety grown by Chinamen for decorating their temples or Josshouses on their New Year's Day, which occurs in February. For the most part they are grown in water in fancy bowls, with just enough pebbles around them to keep them from toppling over. (See illustration.) They can also be grown in pots in soil, sand or moss. We annually import from China a large quantity of the finest quality bulbs, and if planted on arrival (about October 1st) they will flower by Christmas, and a succession of flowers can be had by making several plantings. The white and yellow flowers are borne in clusters and are highly scented.

Large Bulbs. 10 each; 3 for 25c; 80c per dozen. Original baskets, containing 30 bulbs, \$1.50.

If wanted by mail, add 3c per bulb for postage.

Mammoth Bulbs. These are of very large size and will give better results than smaller bulbs. 15c each; 40c for 3; \$1.50 per doz. If to go by mail, add 5c per bulb for postage.

GIANT GOLDEN SACRED LILY.

(Mammoth Jonquil Rugulosus.)

As easily grown as the Chinese Sacred Lily, and a most beautiful companion to that well-known and popular plant. Flower is of handsomest glowing yellow, and very fragrant. The bulbs of this Lily are small, and ought to be planted six or eight to a pan or lily bowl, in order to make a good show. 3c each; 7c for 3; 25c per

DOUBLE SACRED LILY.

(Roman Narcissus.)

Also grown in the same manner as the Chinese Sacred Lily. Produces abundantly of double flowers; white, shaded beautiful yellow; fragrant and lasting. Can be easily brought into bloom for Christmas. 4c each; 25c per doz. Add 10c per doz. for postage.

Lily Bowls, for Chinese Sacred and Polyanthus Narcissus.

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Imitation Cut Glass. To hold 1 bulb, 15c each; for 2 bulbs, 20c each; for 3 bulbs, 25c each.

Pebbles, for filling Lily Bowls, 10c per qt.

Lily Bowls and Pebbles cannot be sent by mail, but only by express or freight at customer's expense. No charge for packing.

We make a specialty of Boston Ferns for home dec-oration. See back page for prices.

Please remember that all our Bulbs and Plants are Guaranteed Absolutely First Quality.

## **Narcissus or Daffodils**

succeed in any situation and in any kind of soil, wet or dry, under the trees or among the grass. Once well established they will need no further care for years; and each succeeding year the clumps will multiply in size and strength, producing blooms in endless quantities. The Polyanthus varieties are not hardy in the North, but for house culture they are superb. The hardy varieties also succeed well in the house or greenhouse. Our list following is composed of the best sorts only.

### **Polyanthus Narcissus**

(Or Nosegay Daffodils.)

GIANT "PAPER WHITE" NARCISSUS.

(Grandiflora.)

An improved large-flowering form of the Paper White, possessing all the good qualities of that popular and easily-grown variety and which on account of its larger flowers, is now the principal forcing sort. Does splendidly in water, like the Chinese Sacred Lily. (See cut.) 3c each; 30c per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$13.00 per 1,000.

Double Roman. Double white, with orange overy fragrant. 4c each; 25c per doz.; \$1.50 per 100.

Grand Soleil d'Or. A charming rich yellow flower, with deep, reddish cup. Thousands of this variety are grown for sale in the London market. 5c each; 40c per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

White Pearl. Large, pure, sating white; beautiful. 5c each; 40c per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

Grand Monarque. This variety is one of the finest of all the Polyantha section, and will give excellent results when grown in water. The bulbs which we offer are of enormous size, and will throw up a profusion of large white flower spikes which are crowned with a lemon-yellow cup. Each 5c; per doz. 40c; per 100 \$2.75.



### Narcissus or Daffodils — Continued

VON SION. The famous "old double yellow Daffodil." Rich golden yellow perianth and trumpet. One of the best forcing sorts as well as being perfectly hardy. Each 3 cents; per dozen 30 cents; per 100 \$1.60; per 1,000 \$14.00.

VON SION. "Double Nose." Extra large bulbs capable of producing two to three flowers each. Each 4 cents; per dozen 40 cents; per 100 \$2.50; per 1,000 \$21.00.

GOLDEN SPUR. One of the grandest Daffodils, with extra large, bold, rich yellow flowers, foliage very broad and striking. It is of unusually robust habit, and unsurpassed for gardens, pots or forcing. Early and extremely free flowering, 3 cents each; 30 cents per dozen; \$1.75 per 100; per 1,000 \$15.50.

GOLDEN SPUR. "Mother" Bulbs. Extra quality 6c each; 60c per dozen; \$3.50 per 100.

**BICOLOR VICTORIA.** A comparatively new variety, perianth creamy, trumpet rich yellow, delicately perfumed; excellent for pots. 4 cents each; 40 cents per dozen; \$2.75 per 100; per 1,000 \$26.00.

EMPRESS. Perianth snow-white, trumpet rich yellow, serrated and flanged at the edges, large in outline and of rare beauty for cutting. 3 cents each; 30 cents per dozen; \$1.75 per 100; per 1,000 \$15.00.

EMPEROR. A magnificent flower; perianth deep primrose; trumpet large, rich yellow. Should be largely grown in flower beds, borders, or naturalized in grass;

it is one of the finest Daffodils in cultivation and much prized for cutting. 3 cents each; 35 cents per dozen; \$2.00 per 100; \$17.00 per 1,000.

POETICUS (Pheasant's Eye, or Poet's Narcissus). Flowers large, snow white, with beautiful cup suffused with bright orange-red; blooms in May; very fragrant. 15 cents per dozen; 75 cents per 100; \$4.50 per 1,000.

POETICUS ORNATUS. The most perfect form of the Poet's Narcissus. It is more symmetrical than the old Poeticus and blooms a month earlier; flowers large, pure white, cup margined with scarlet. 20 cents per dozen; 85 cents per 100; \$7.00 per 1,000.

PRINCEPS. Very early. This is one of the most popular winter-flowering and forcing varieties grown. Flowers large, perianth sulphur, an immense rich yellow trumpet. 3 cents each; 20 cents per dozen; \$1.00 per 100; per 1,000 \$9.50.

ALBA PLENA ODORA'TA (Double Poet's Narcissus, or Gardenia Daffodil). Double, pure white; very sweet scented. This beautiful variety cannot be forced. It succeeds best planted on rather heavy soil, in partial shade, and where it will not suffer from lack of moisture. Each 3 cents; 15 cents per dozen; 75 cents per 100; per 1,000 \$6.50.

ORANGE PHOENIX (Eggs and Bacon). Light citron, with orange center; an excellent flower for forcing. 3 cents each: 25 cents per dozen; \$1.25 per 100; \$11.00 per 1,000.

DON'T FAIL TO
PLANT A
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OF

# Hardy

## Lilies

THEIR EXTREME
FRAGRANCE
AND
GENERAL BEAUTY
COMMEND
THEM TO
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A BED OF

## KEISERSKROON

## TULIPS

WILL GIVE YOU
GENUINE
SATISFACTION.

They are Hardy, Free Flowering and the Showiest of

> BEDDING TULIPS

Produce Extra Large Blooms

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## **Sweet Scented Jonquils**

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(Narcissus Jonquilla and Odorus.)

All of the Jonquils are prized for their graceful, golden, fragrant blossoms and the ease with which they may be grown. Half a dozen bulbs can be put in a 5-inch pot, and with the same treatment as recommended for Hyacinths a fine display can be had from January to April. Their cost is so trifling that liberal plantings should be made out-doors. A clump of 50 or more bulbs put here and there among shrubbery or interspersed in the hardy border or naturalized in the grass gives an indescribably rich effect in the early spring, while a vase of the cut blooms will fill a room with the rich, spicy odor.

SINGLE SWEET-SCENTED (Narcissus Jonquilla). Rich yellow; not as large a flower as the others, but most fragrant. 15 cents per dozen; 75 cents per 100; \$4.00 per 1,000.

CAMPERNELLE RUGULOSUS. The largest flowering; a handsome flower; color pure yellow; very fragrant. 15 cents per dozen; 85 cents per 100; \$7.75 per 1,000.

**DOUBLE SWEET-SCENTED.** Full double golden yellow. 25 cents per dozen; \$1.60 per 100; \$13.00 per 1,000.

45-47-49 WABASH AVE. - One Block North of Marshall Field & Co.'s Wabash Ave. Store

## Miscellaneous Bulbs For House and Outdoor Culture

Neapolitanum. An excellent variety for winter flowering, pure white, with green stamens borne in large loose umbels; 6 for 10 cents; 15 cents per dozen; \$1.00 per 100.

CALLA AETHIOPICA (Calla Lily).

A well-known plant, of easy culture; the only particular attention it requires is constant watering, and as warm a room as can be conveniently given it.

White Calla, or Lily of the Nile. Dry roots. Each 15 cents; per dozen \$1.50.

Mammoth Bulbs. 25 cents each; \$2.75 per dozen.

Monster Roots. Each 50c; 3 for \$1.25.

GIANT FLOWERED CROCUS.

One of the earliest of spring flowering bulbs, and should be planted liberally in every garden. In large groups Crocus are very striking, planted either in blocks or separate colors or as mixtures. They can also be planted in the lawn scattered promiscuously, and the effect will be very striking. They can be left undisturbed for years and will ever increase in quantity of bloom. They do not interfere in any way with the lawn.

Winterson's Named Crocus.

The bulbs of these are three

Winterson's Named Crocus.
The bulbs of these are three or four times the size of the common Crocus, about an inch in diameter; they are sure bloomers, producing larger and finer flowers than bulbs ordinarily sold.

### **Plant Crocus** in the Lawn

THEY WILL MAKE A GRAND SHOWING IN EARLY SPRING THE FOLIAGE DYING AWAY BEFORE LAWN MOWER IS

Doz. 100 1,000 Albion. Blue, striped white \$0.15 \$0.70 \$6.00 Baron von Brunow.
Dark blue... .15
David Rizzio. .70 6.00

Giant Flowering Crocus.

### WINTERSON'S SPECIAL MIXTURE. (Giant-Flowered Crocus.)

This mixture is made up from named sorts only. The colors are properly proportioned. For planting outdoors in lawns, along borders, or amongst shrubbery this mixture cannot be excelled. 15 cents per dozen; 65 cents per 100, postpaid; \$6.50 per 1,000, by express at purchaser's expense.

CROCUS, MIXED VARIETIES.

These bulbs are of good size and will produce large

Doz	1.000
White	
Striped and Variegated	
	.50   3.50
	.50   3.50
Colors All in Splendid Mixture	.45 3.25

SCILLA SIBIRICA (Squills).

One of the finest of our hardy spring bulbs, which cannot be too highly recommended. Splendid for planting as an edging or for filling small beds; if planted sufficiently thick the effect is matchless, and equally so grown in the border in groups of a dozen or a hundred. Flowers of a lovely ultra-marine blue.

Mammoth Bulbs. 4c each; 10c for 3; 20c per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$3.00 for 250; \$10.00 for 1,000.

Select Bulbs. 2c each; 15c per doz.; 75c per 100; \$2.00 for 250; \$8.00 per 1,000.

FREESIA REFRACTA ALBA.

Of all South African flowering bulbs, the Freesia is doubtless the best known and most esteemed. The gracefully branched, fragrant flowers are of long duration, and being freely produced, are profitable for commercial purposes, and satisfactory to amateurs. If planted early they may be had in bloom by Christmas. Plant eight or ten bulbs in a 6-inch bulb-pan, covering them one inch. The peculiar habit, its delicious perfume and great value for cutting, have made it immensely popular.

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Large bulbs, 15 cts. per doz., \$1.25 per 100, \$10 per 1,000.

Mammoth selected bulbs, 25 cts. per doz., \$1.75 per 100, \$15 per 1,000.

Monster bulbs, 40 cts. per doz., \$2.50 per 100, \$20 per

THE GRAND NEW FREESIA, PURITY.

A grand acquisition to the Freesias, and for the grower as a cut-flower or pot-plant, no one should be without a few bulbs of this delightful novelty. Flowers, which are a snowy white, of large size, are borne in great profusion on stems 2 to 2½ feet which grow upright and stiff; are excellent for cut-flower purposes. 50 cts. per doz., \$3.50 per 100, \$30 per 1,000; mammoth bulbs (very scarce), 75 cts. per doz., \$5 per 100, \$45 per \$1.000.

### Snowdrops and Scillas

ARE ALSO DESIRABLE FOR PLANTING IN LAWNS
MEADOWS
WILD GARDENS
and WOODLANDS.

### OXALIS.

Lovely little bulbous plants for hanging pots and baskets. The bulbs should be planted an inch deep, six or eight in a 5-inch pot. They need a sunny situation.

Bermuda Buttercup.

Doz. 100
Extra-sized bulbs. \$0.30 \$2.00

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Grand	Duchess	. Pink					.20	1.00
Grand	Duchess	. Laver	ider .				.20	1.00
Lutea.	Single	yellow					.10	.75
Lutea.	Double						.30	2.00
Rosea.	Rose .						.15	.80
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### SNOWDROPS (Galanthus).

The charming Snowdrop is the first of all flowers to herald the approach of spring. It can frequently be seen in bloom when the ground is white with snow, as it takes every advantage, and hastens to display its graceful snow-white bells before the winter has disappeared.

Peared.

Elwes' Giant. An exceedingly large and beautiful single variety; flowers snow-white, with emerald-green tube. 15c per doz.; 75c per 100; \$6.00 per 1,000.

Single. Pure white graceful bells; early flowering. 15c per dozen; 75c per 100; \$6.00 per 1,000.

Double. Flowers perfectly double, pure white. 25c per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$11.00 per 1,000.

### TUBEROSES.

Planted in pots and given a warm place in the house from October to January, these bulbs will bloom during the winter.

Mammoth Bulbs. 7c each; 20c for 3; 60c per doz., postpaid. 5c each; 15c for 3; 50c per doz.; \$3.00 per 100, by express.

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First Size Bulbs. 12c for 3; 40c per doz., postpaid, 10c r 3; 35c per doz.; \$2 per 100, by express, at purchaser's

### ORNITHOGALUM ARABICUM.

### (Star of Bethlehem.)

One of the most striking flowering bulbs. As an Easter decoration it is superb. Its immense spike of pure white flowers is simply grand. Not hardy except in southern states. 6c each; 15c for 3; 50c per doz., postpaid.

## **Hardy Perennials**

## "THE FLOWERS OF OUR GRANDMOTHER'S GARDEN"

Planted this Fall, They Will Bloom Freely Next Summer and Each Year Thereafter. You cannot have too many of them.

### PRICES (unless otherwise noted)

Strong Blooming Plants ......each 15c; per doz. \$1.50 Extra Large Plants .....each 25c; per doz. \$2.50

ASTER—NEW ENGLAND
Four feet high at maturity.
Bloms in August and October.
Deep purple blossoms.
This is a native, with blooms of purple flowers with a yellow center. Thrives well in shady locations and in any soil. Has a bloom often two inches across.

BACHELOR BUTTONS

Though very common, it is always popular. Various colors.

BELLFLOWER, CHINESE—Campanula
Three feet high at maturity.
Blooms from July to September.

Blooms from July to September.
Blue blossoms.
Produces bell-shaped flowers which are very large, covering the entire stem throughout its whole length.

BLEEDING HEART—Dicentra
Three feet high at maturity.
Blooms in May and June.

Red blossoms.

Red blossoms.

A very beautiful plant, with its long, curved sprays of red hearts with white markings. It produces ornamental foliage, which is both spreading and graceful.

BOLTONIA—Asteroides
Four feet high at maturity.
Blooms from July to October.
Large white tinged with pink, or rosy purple blossoms. Very showy and fine.
A most desirable aster every way considered.

BURNING LOVE or LAMP FLOWER-Lychnis Chalce-

donica
Blooms in June and July.
Brilliant scarlet blossoms.

CHRYSANTHEMUM, SUMMER or GOLDEN GLOW
Six feet high at maturity.
Blooms August and September.
Yellow blossoms.
Of native growth, but of recent introduction. Its reputation is well assured, and the plant is in great demand.
It is of remarkable beauty, with its profusion of rich, golden-yellow flowers and fine cut-leaved foliage. In fact, nothing is just like it. No matter where planted, singly or in masses, or among other plants or flowers, the Golden Glow is most distinguished in appearance. It will grow anywhere, and under almost any condition. will grow anywhere, and under almost any condition.

CHRYSANTHEMUM MAXIMUM

Large white flowers blooming throughout the summer. Very showy.

COLUMBINE, ROCKY MOUNTAIN-Aquilegia

Two feet high at maturity.

Blooms June to August.

Blue and white blossoms.

This most attractive variety, both in foliage and flowers, is very rare. Colorado is its home. To grow well the soil should be well drained.

COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA or TICKSEED
One to three feet high at maturity.
Blooms throughout the summer.
Yellow blossoms.
Very showy and blooms freely.

DAISY—SHASTA or CHRYSANTHEMUM
Large white flowers, blooming throughout the summer.

DIANTHUS BARBATUS or SWEET WILLIAM
Produces flowers of a great variety of colors. Very



### SHASTA DAISY

### **Hardy Vines**

AMPELOPSIS VEITCHII.

(Boston Ivy.)

Clings firmly to the side of a house or wall and will soon form a perfect mass of foliage. A beautiful climber. In autumn this unique plant assumes its greatest beauty, changing until it is a glowing mass of the brightest shades of crimson, scarlet and orange. Hardy. Strong vines, each, 30c; extra size plants, each,

Quinquefolia (Virginia Creeper). Used for the same purpose as Boston Ivy. Extra strong, 35c each; doz., \$3.50.

### HONEYSUCKLES.

For real home vines, to be near you, climbing over your windows and doorways, there is nothing prettier than sweet scented Honeysuckles.

Hall's Japan. A strong-growing, almost evergreen sort; flowers pure white, changing to yellow; fragrant. Covered with flowers from July to November. Large plants, each 50c.

PRICES.

Unless

Unless otherwise noted: Strong blooming plants, each .....15c; doz. \$1.50 Extra large plants, each .....25c; doz. 2.50

### Hardy Perennials—Continued



GARDEN PINK-Dianthus Plumarius

Nine inches high at maturity. Plooms in July and August. Pink blossoms.

A desirable edging plant long in favor, bearing beautiful silvery foliage in thick tufts. Its flowers are very fragrant.

### GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA or BLANKET FLOWER

Blooms from early summer to autumn. Yellow or purple blossoms. Very ornamental and hardy plant.

Absolutely hardy and increases in size each year. Very free blooming. Finest named sorts.

### IRIS-JAPANESE

Flowers differ from the ordinary kinds in being broad and flat. They succeed best in a moist soil, and thrive best in partly shaded spots. Our stock includes pure white, azure blue, cobalt blue, deepest purple and dark red, in single and double forms and mixtures of colors, in stripes and spots.

### LARKSPUR-Delphinium

A tall growing plant of magnificent spikes of blue blossoms. No plant will afford greater satisfaction.

### PENTSTEMON-BREAD TONGUE

Five feet high at maturity.

Blooms in July.

Bright scarlet flowers.

A very ornamental plant which produces flowers in great abundance.

MONARDA (Mint)
Two to three feet high at maturity.
Blooms June to August.
Scarlet blossoms.

### MONARDA (Mint)

Same as above except the blossoms are blue.

POPPY—Papaver Orientalis or ORIENTAL POPPY
Two to three feet high at maturity.
Blooms in June.
Scarlet blossoms.

### ROSE MALLOW-Hibiscus

Five feet high at maturity.
Blooms September and October.
White blossoms with crimson eye.
A quick grower. Its leaves are broad. Blooms large, sometimes seven inches across.

### RUDBECKIA-Speciosa or CONEFLOWER

Two to three feet high at maturity.

Bright yellow blossoms with brown purple conical discs.

A much esteemed plant on account of its flowers and deeply incised foliage.

### SHASTA DAISY-or SUMMER CHRYSANTHEMUM

One to two feet high at maturity. Large white flowers. Blooming throughout the summer.

### SWEET WILLIAM-Dianthus Barbatus

This hardy plant produces flowers of a great variety of colors; most esteemed and valuable.

### TANSY—CRISP LEAVED—Tanacetum

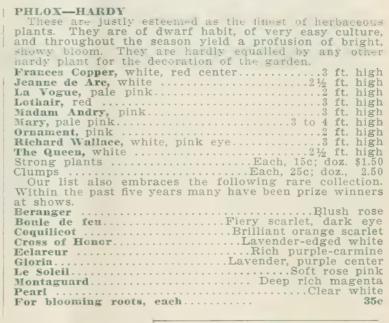
Two feet high at maturity.
Blooms July and August.
Yellow blossoms.
Small pale-yellow flowers in Autumn; foliage pleasantly scented.

### YUCCA FILAMENTOSA or ADAM'S NEEDLE

Three feet high at maturity. White, bell-shaped blossoms.

An interesting and tropical appearing plant, which will endure any of our northern winters, and is therefore valuable for those localities where flowering plants are scarce. It is an evergreen perennial, throwing up in the middle of summer flower stalks 3 feet in height, bearing a profusion of creamywhite bell-shaped blossoms.

LACK OF SPACE PREVENTS OUR LISTING OUR COMPLETE LINE OF PERENNIALS. WE CAN, HOWEVER, SUPPLY ALL STANDARD SORTS AT MARKET PRICES.





## Hardy Ornamental and Flowering Shrubs



### BARBERRY, JAPANESE or THUN-BERG'S

Blooms in June.

Red and yellow blossoms.

This low globular bush of dense growth, with small shining leaves, is desirable for use in masses in front of taller shrubbery because it trims down well to the grass. Its ornamental fruit hangs en all winter.

2 to 3 ft.

### BARBERRY, PURPLE LEAVED

Three to five feet high at maturity.

Blooms in June.

Yellow blossoms. 2 to 4 ft.

8c to \$1.50



### FOR FALL PLANTING

(Ready About Oct. 20th)

**NOTE**—Our list herein is made up from varieties that we know will succeed with fall planting. For spring planting we can supply some hundreds of varieties and which will be fully described in our 1910 catalogue.

### BARBERRY, GREEN-Berberis Vulgaris

Blooms in June.

Yellow blossoms.

Where a dense spiny low fence is desired this is the best.

2 to 5 ft.

35c to \$2.00

### ELDER, GOLDEN—Sambucus Nigra Aurea

White blossoms.

Blooms in June.

Where it is desired to produce the richest color, this shrub should be planted in a sunny spot. 25c to \$1.00

### GOLDEN BELL or Forsythia Fortunei

Blooms in April.

Yellow blossoms.

25c to \$1.00

### HONEYSUCKLE-Morrowii or Japanese Honeysuckle

Blooms in July.

White blossoms.

This variety is at the height of its beauty when covered with bright red fruit from August until late in the Fall.

2 to 4 ft.

75c to \$2.00

### BURNING BUSH-Euonymus Europaeus

Grows quite tall for a shrub. Its leaves turn scarlet in Autumn. Large dark red fruit.

25c to \$1.00

### BUTTON BUSH or Cephalanthus Occidentalis

Blessoms with globular heads of white flowers.

50c to \$1.00

### CRANBERRY, HIGH BUSH-Viburnum Opulus

Has handsome flowers.

Very ornamental and useful shrub.

50c to \$3.00

### CURRANT, INDIAN—Symphoricarpos Vulgaris

A beautiful shrub. Foliage, flowers and fruit are small. Fruit hangs all winter. 15c to \$1.00 2 to 4 ft.

Dwarf habit, luxuriant foliage and greatest profusion of attractive

### DOGWOOD—Cornus Siberica—Red Siberian Dogwood

Blooms in July.

White blossoms.

A rare and remarkable variety, with bright red bark in Winter. Most 2 to 4 ft. 25c to \$1.00 desirable.



### Hardy Ornamental and Flowering Shrubs

### (CONTINUED)

HONEYSUCKLE—Tartarian

Blooms in June.

White, pink and red blossoms.

2 to 6 ft.

25c to 50c

### HYDRANGEA PANICULATA

Blooms in August and September.

White blossoms.

This rare sort blooms earlier and longer than the ordinary variety, for the reason that only a small part of the panicle is in flower at once.

1 to 3 ft.

25c to 50c

### LILAC, SYRINGA

Blooms in May.

These always reliable varieties, the purple and white, are still indispensable, when shrubbery is desired. They bloom best grown in rich soil, but will thrive under all conditions.

2 to 6 ft.

25c to \$3.00

### LILAC, GERMAN PURPLE

Blooms in May.

Deep purple blossoms.

Of deeper shade than the common variety. Imported. 3 ft. high, \$1.00. Extra fine heavy plants, \$5.00

### LILAC, PERSIAN

Blooms in May.

Reddish purple blossoms.

2 to 5 ft.

35c to \$1.00

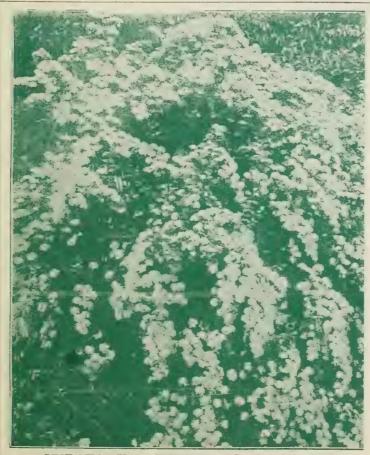
### MOCK ORANGE—Philadelphus Coronarius

Blooms in June.

White blossoms.

A beautiful shrub with pure white highly scented flowers.

25c to \$1.00



SPIRAEA, VAN HOUTTEI (Bridal Wreath)



SYRINGA, MOCK ORANGE

PRIVET, AMUR-Ligustrum

Blooms in June and July.

White blossoms.

This variety is similar to the California Privet. except that the Amur is hardy here. Its habit is upright, rendering it possible for trimming in any shape desired.

2 to 3 ft.

25c to 50c

PURPLE FRINGE or SMOKE TREE—Rhus Continus

Blooms in June.

White blossoms.

This shrub, besides being beautiful and distinct, with its large bunches of feathery flowers, is remarkable chiefly because it appears to be covered with a cloud of smoke.

2 to 5 ft.

25c to \$1.00

QUINCE—(Cydonia Japonica)—Japan Flowering

Quince

Blooms in May.

Scarlet blossoms.

This variety, too, is frequently used as a hedge, as it bears pruning well, has small thorns. It is a bush of many stems, and the flowers precede the leaves. It bears a fragrant orange fruit.

2 to 3 ft.

25c to \$1.25

SNOWBALL—Viburnum Opulus Sterilis

Blooms in June.

White blossoms.

While this is an old shrub it is not the less desirable, as it is very showy and thrives in the shade.

3 to 7 ft.

25c to \$1.00

SNOWBERRY—Symphoricarpus Alba

Blooms in July and August.

Pink blossoms.

On account of its showy white berries, and because of its drooping habit later in the season, this shrub is much in use as a trimmer.

2 to 4 ft.

25 to \$1.50

### Hardy Ornamental and Flowering Shrubs Continued



SPIRAEA VAN HOUTTEI, Bridal Wreath

Blooms in June.

White blossoms.

Without doubt the finest variety of the collection. At the flowering season in early June the plant is covered with a mass of large white flowers. Very beautiful.

2 to 4 ft.

STRAWBERRY TREE—Euonymus Blooms in June.

Purple blossoms.

Sometimes called the Spindle Tree or Burning Bush. It is a tall native shrub, and is suitable for mass-planting. Thrives well in the shade and in any soil. Its charm lies in its scarlet fruit, which it yields in showy profusion.

3 to 7 ft.

50c to \$2.00

SUMACH, CUT-LEAVED-Rhus Typhina Laciniata

Blooms in June. Green blossoms.

The sub-tropical effect of this variety is due to its deeply cut compound foliage. It retains a low growth, and usually becomes a bright crimson in the Fall.

1 to 3 ft.

SYRINGA—Philadelphus Grandiflorus

White blossoms. Blooms in May. The large individual flowers of this choice shrub appear when others have ceased to bloom. It grows narrowly, rapidly and is a tall species of the Mock Orange

variety. 1 to 21/2 ft.

50c to \$2.00

TAMARISK—Tamarix

These are very beautiful shrubs, with small leaves, somewhat like those of the Juniper, and delicate small pink flowers in spikes, which appear in June and July. 3 to 5 ft. high. 35c to \$1.50 VIBURNUM OPULUS, or HIGH BUSH CRANBERRY

The foliage of this variety is large, showy, and dark, which it retains late. Its growth of flowers and fruit is quite attractive, and for planting near the street is very suitable. Does well in shady localities.

1 to 3 feet high.

25c to \$2.00

WEIGELIA ROSEA

Six feet high at maturity.

Blooms in May and June.

Rosy pink blossoms.

Of easy culture. In growth it is strong, broad and graceful.

1 to 3 ft. high.

35c to \$1.00

### FOR HARDY VINES SEE PAGE 14

### **Shade and Ornamental Trees**

CATALPA SPECIOSA

We grow only the variety which thrives in sand With its large leaves and fragrant flowers in great panicles, it is decidedly tropical-looking, while it is a rapid grower.

Perfectly hardy.

2 to 5in. in diameter

CRAB APPLE—BECHTEL'S DOUBLE FLOWERING—
Malus Ioensis Bechteli

Originating in the West it is unlike the other sorts from Japan and China, in that it is not subject to the attacks of borers. It is a double variety and very showy, and is without doubt the handsomest ornamental crab grown.

3 ft. high ft. high

We offer the seedless form of this variety, which creates no litter, for lawns or screens. It stands smoke and soot, thrives in sandy soil, and is a quick grower.

2 to 7 inches in diameter

\$1.00 to \$15.00

PLUM-PURPLE LEAVED-Prunus Pissardi

POPLAR—CAROLINA—Populus Moaolifera

The finest purple-leaved small tree of recent introduction. Transplants easily. The beautifully tinted foliage is retained until late in the autumn.

6 to 8 ft. high

\$2.00 to \$3.00

ELDER—BOX—Acer Negundo

Of irregular, spreading habit, and rapid growth. Desirable as a covering for unsightly objects. Belongs to the maple family.

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2 to 3 in., each

ELM—AMERICAN—Ulmus

They may be grown with spreading tops. In this form they may be used for planting on the lawn for shade. The finest street tree.

10 to 12 ft.

82.00 to \$8.00 to \$8.00 to \$0.00 to \$0.00

LINDEN—AMERICAN—Tilia Americana
A rapid growing, large-sized, beautiful native tree, with large leaves and fragrant flowers. Our trees are suitable for line or formal planting. Can supply uniform trees in any quantity.

2 to 5 inches in diameter
\$2.00 to \$9.00

MAPLE—NORWAY—Acer Platanoides

A large, handsome tree for all conditions. Of spreading, rounded form, with broad, deep green, shining foliage. Most desirable for the street, park or garden.

2 to 4 inches in diameter \$3.00 to \$10.00

MULBERRY—TEAS' WEEPING—Morus Alba Pendula
The most graceful and hardy weeping tree in existence. Forms a perfect shaped head with long slender, willowy branches drooping to the ground in light, airy gracefulness, delicacy of form and motion. It is without a rival. It has beautiful foliage, is hardy, safe and easy to transplant. Admirably adapted for small or large grounds or for cemetery planting.

2 to 4 years old

\$2.00 to \$5.00



NOTE—We can supply all shrubs and Trees in commerce at advantageous prices. If you do not find in this list the desired stock, please ask us for prices on what might be wanted.

### SIDUDOUNDED

## Northern Grown Hardy Fruits

In the assortment named herein we have mentioned only those varieties that succeed best in the northern country, such apples and crab apples as we offer are vigorous and iron-clad, all especially recommended by our experiment stations. The list of each fruit is arranged as to time of ripening.

### SUMMER APPLES.

Yellow Transparent-Pale vellow, md., earliest, bears

Red Astrachan-Crimson, yellow shaded, large, prolific,

Duchess of Oldenburg-Yellow, red shaded, large, pro-

### FALL APPLES.

Wealthy-Crimson, md., prolific, late fall. Grimes' Golden-Golden yellow, md.

Northwestern Greening-Pale green, md.

Mann-Deep yellow, md.

Ben Davis-Red striped, lg.

These are all abundant annual bearers of fine quality and extra long keepers. Good for market or home use.

The larger sizes bear freely after first season.

6 to 7 feet high, each.....75c to \$1.00 2 inches in diameter, each...... 2.00 3 inches in diameter, each ..... 5.00

### CRAB APPLES.

### All Have Fragrant Flowers.

It is not an uncommon thing to grow this fruit for ornament and flowers. Of course their proper sphere is in bearing desirable fruit for cooking, etc. Some are not unpleasant to eat out of hand.

Whitney—Yellow, splashed with carmine, lg., first and best, luxuriant. Often used as an ornamental tree.

Transcendent—Yellow and red, lg.; handsome and prolific.

Hyslop—Dan and desirable. -Dark red lg.; late, showy

The larger sizes bear freely after first season.

6 to 7 feet high, each......75c to \$1.00 2 inches in diameter, each ....... 3.00 3 inches in diameter, each ...... 5.00

### DESIRABLE GRAPES.

We mention only those ripening early enough for this climate. All are finely flavored.

Moore's Diamond—White; few seeds, almost without pulp; berries adhere well to the bunch.

Worden—Black; large berry and bunch, best flavor; ten ays earlier than Concord.

Concord-Black; most popular; parent of the two pre-

 ceding sorts.

 4-year-old vines, each
 50c; doz., \$4.50

 2-year-old vines, each
 25c; doz., 2.50

### AMERICAN GOOSEBERRIES.

Downing—Light green; large; heavy; annual cropper. Red Jacket—Red; large, smooth; most free from mil-3 feet high, each

### RELIABLE PRODUCTIVE PEARS.

Flemish Beauty-Yellow and red; lg.; juicy, melting, beautiful: profuse bearer.

Kieffer-Rich yellow, lg.; never rots at core; bears young and heavily; best for canning.

Nice, shapely trees, 7 to 8 feet high, each......\$1.25

### CURRANTS.

Cherry-Red, large berry, short bunches; stout erect

Fay's Prolific—Red, long bunches, large berry; valuable for table use.

White Grape—White; very large, sweet berry; early, rapid picker.

Lee's Prolific-Black: large in berry and bunch; very prolific; fine for cooking.

2 feet high, each......25c; doz., \$2.50 3 feet high, each......50c; doz., 4.50

### CHERRIES.

We can name only one variety for this region, the Early Richmond; red; Medium; acid flavor; vigorous; bears young, most reliable, best for cooking. 8 feet high, each...... 1.50 2½ inches in diameter, each..... 3.00 3 inches in diameter, each..... 5.00 4 inches in diameter, each...... 8.00

### HARDY PLUMS.

Those named are sweet, with a pleasant flavor, of good quality, and hold on

German Prune-Dark purple, large; freestone; only satisfactory European plum.

Hawkeye-Purplish red; lg.; freestone; Iowa origin; very popular.

### RASPBERRIES.

Cuthbert-Red; very large, sweet; carries well.

Turner-Black; best black cap; vigorous; very productive.

3 stem plants, each ......15c 

### RHUBARB.

Linnaeus-Pie-plant; large early and tender. Large clumps, 1 foot square, \$1.00 each.



CHERRIES, Early Richmond.



## **Pot Grown Strawberry Plants**

These pot-grown plants will produce a moderate crop the first season if ordered at once and planted before September 30. Varieties marked (P) have imperfect flowers; they will not produce well unless every third or fourth row or plant is a perfect-flowering variety, as are all that are not marked.

Price, pot-plants, 50 cents per dcz.; \$2.00 for 50; \$3.50 per 100, by ex-

Senator Dunlap, Parson's Beauty, Sample(P), Johnson's Early, August Luther (early), Wonder, Gandy, Kitty Rice, Brandywine, Bubach's No. 5. Runners of the above varieties, ready September 1st per 100, \$2; per

### ASPARAGUS ROOTS.

(Plant in Fall or Spring.)

Bonvallet's Giant.

This valuable introduction is the very best for both green and white "grass."

### PRICES. 2-Year-Old Roots.

Doz.	100	1000
Bonvallet's Giant\$0.25	\$1.75	\$12.00
Conover's Colossal	.70	5.00
Palmetto	.70	5.00
Columbian Mammoth White	1.00	6.00
Argenteuil	1.50	10.00

Pure Culture Spawn. This is the Spawn produced according to the valuable discoveries made recently by American investigators. Through the method of inoculating bricks by means of test-tube culture—the larger yielding varieties only—are produced, and to some degree of certainty the kind of crop to be produced may

be determined beforehand. Sold by the brick. Per brick, 25 cts.; 5 bricks, \$1.00.

English Mushroom Spawn. It comes in pressed bricks weighing about twenty ounces. These are broken into pieces the size of a walnut and put into beds 8 inches apart each way. Per brick, 15 cts.; 5 lbs., 70 cts.

### Garden Tools, Fertilizers, Insecticides, Etc.

### BONE MEAL.

### "JACK ROSE" BRAND

The Bone Meal That Produces Results.

This Brand of Bone Meal is prepared for us under our own formula and is guaranteed absolutely pure, with none of the gluten or other valuable ingredients removed.

Price, 5 lbs., 25c; 10 lbs., 50c; 25 lbs., 75c; 50 lbs., \$1.25; 100 lbs., \$2.25; 200 lbs., \$3.70; 500 lbs., \$8.50; 1,000 lbs., \$16.00; 2,000 lbs., \$32.00.

Ordinary Bone Meal. 5 lbs., 20c; 10 lbs., 35c; 25 lbs., 55c; 50 lbs., 90c; 100 lbs., \$1.75; 200 lbs., \$3.25; 500 lbs., \$7.50; 1,000 lbs., \$14.50; 2,000 lbs., \$29.00.

### PULVERIZED SHEEP MANURE.

makes the richest, safest and quickest Liquid Manure. For use in liquid form, one pound to five gallons of water will make a liquid which can be used with safety daily if necessary. 5 lbs., 20c; 10 lbs., 35c; 25 lbs., 55c; 50 lbs., \$1.00; 100 lbs., \$1.50; 500 lbs., \$6.00; 1,000 lbs., \$11.00; ton, \$18.00.

### BOWKER'S PLANT FOOD.

A first-class plant food. Small size package, 15c; by mail, 20c; large size package, 25c; by mail, 40c.

Grafting Wax. Per ¼-lb. bar, 15c; ½-lb., 20c; 1-lb., 35c. If by mail, add 15c per lb.

### INSECT DESTROYERS.

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Liquid Insectides cannot be sent by mail.

Fir-Tree Oil. For mealy bug, scale, red spider, black and green aphis, thrip, lice, worms and slugs. Small bottle, 25c; ½ pt., 40c; pt., 75c; qt., \$1.25; gal., \$4.00.

Nico-Fume. Strips of paper strongly saturated with nicotine. These when suspended and lighted make one of the best and simplest methods of fumigating greenhouses. Price, 24 sheets, 75c; postpaid, 90c; 144 sheets, \$3.50; 288 sheets, \$6.50.

Nico Fume. Fumigating compound for killing all kinds.

### LABELS-Wooden, for Pots.

4-inch, painted ......per 100, 15 ets 5-inch, painted .....per 100, 20 ets 3½-inch, wired for trees.per 100, 25 ets Other sizes quoted on application. per 1000, \$0.85 per 1000, 1.00 per 1000, 1.50

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	BULL OIL	To Marche II San	. W 1.57 #	
]	Each. Doz.		Each.	
5-inch			\$0.12	
6-inch	.07 .75	9-inch		1.50
7-inch	.08 .85	10-inch		2.00
Potting Soil,	Fertilized.	Especially	prepared. Su	itable
at buyer's expe	nse; ready	for use. Pk	., 35 cts; bu.,	\$1.00;
6-inch	.07 .75 .08 .85 Fertilized.	9-inch 10-inch Especially d bulbs; by		1.50 2.00 itable reight

bbl., \$2.00.

three iron feet and handles. PLEASE WRITE FOR PRICES ON OTHER SUPPLIES.

We pack these carefully, but will not be responsible for breakage in transit. Pots. Per doz. 100. Pots. Per doz. 100. 2½-in. ..\$0.15 \$0.70 7-in. ..\$1.10 \$7.50 8-in. . . **1.35** 9.50 10-in. . each . . **25** 12-in. . . each . . **35** 



	FLOWER POT SAUCE	CRS.					
	Per doz.		Per doz.				
3-inch		7-in	\$0.50				
4-inch		8-inch					
		10-inch					
6-inch		12-inch	€ach .20				

SPRINKLERS. Scollay's Rubber. Indispensable for spraying house plants, floral work, etc. Large, \$1.00; by mail, \$1.10; medium, 75 ets.; by mail, 82 ets.; small, 60 ets.; by mail, 65 ets.

stream ..... WATERING POTS. 4.00



Sprinkler.

WATERING POTS.

American. Heavy galvanized round can, two copperfaced roses, long spouts. 4-quart, \$1.75; 6-quart, \$2.00; 8-quart, \$2.25; 10-quart, \$2.50; 12-quart, \$2.75.

French. Oval; otherwise same make as above. 6-qt., \$2.25; 8-qt., \$2.50; 10-qt., \$2.75; 12-qt., \$3.00.

Flower Tubs—Columbian. (Fig. 42.) Made of the best pine lumber. Has 12 staves in tapered shape, held together by two steel wires. Natural varnish finish. Measurements are outside of tub.

F. O. B. Chicago only.

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12	by	11 .	in.	Each,	\$1.00;	3 for	\$2.75
15	by	14	in.	Each,	1.50;	3 for	4.00
18	by	161/2	in.	Each,	2.00;	3 for	<b>5.25</b>
				Each,		3 for	6.75
				Each,		3 for	8.00



### FLOWER TUBS, STANDARD GREEN.

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		Diameter	
Height.	at Top.	at Bottom.	Each.
No. 0—14½		15 1/2	\$1.00
No. 1—12 ½		15	.90
No. 2—125/	$15\frac{1}{4}$	12	.85
No. 3-111/2	13%	111/4	.75
No. 4—10 1-3	12 1-3	9 5/8	.65
These tubs are hard	wood with	iron bands, and	are very
practical for floral	plant deco	orations. Each	tub hás
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## **Decorative Plants and Palms**

### Ferns

### THE BOSTON FERN

(Nephrolepis Bostoniensis.)

Thrives in all rooms, gas or furnace heat does not seem to injure it. Fronds are often six to seven feet long, a 4-inch plant increasing to 10-inch size in a year, besides making many new offshoots. A good size plant contains from 20 to 40 fronds, and the fresh ones continually coming out with new growth are very beautiful.

### THE NEW OSTRICH PLUME FERN, "WHITMANI."

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